

# **ARIJ Daily Report**

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## Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats in the occupied Palestinian territory, the confiscation and razing of lands, the uprooting and destruction of fruit trees, the expansion of settlements and erection of outposts, the brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army, the Israeli settlers violence against Palestinian civilians and properties, the erection of checkpoints, the construction of the Israeli segregation wall and the issuance of military orders for the various Israeli purposes.

The Violations are based on reports provided by field workers and \or news sources.

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# Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

• A Palestinian teen was shot and killed by Israeli occupation Army (IOA), while three others were injured during protests east of Rafah in the southern besieged Gaza Strip. The 15-year-old Palestinian was killed after the IOA fired live ammunition at him. The killed teen was identified as as Muamen Abu Eyada, from the al-Brazil neighborhood in Rafah in southern Gaza. Three other Palestinians were injured during the protests due to Israeli live ammunition. (WAFA 19 September 2018)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a Palestinian home in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and conducted violent searches causing damage, before assaulting and wounding one man. The IOA stormed the home of Ghaleb Abu Sbeih, in the Old City, and assaulted Shaher Abu Sbeih, causing various cuts and bruises. The IOA also violently searched the property, and caused damage to furniture and belongings, while interrogating the family. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- Two Palestinian protesters were killed by Israeli occupation Army (IOA). The two young men were identified as Mohammad Ahmad Mohammed Abu Naji (32) from Beit Lahia Housing Project who was hit with a bullet to the chest; and Ahmad Mohammad Muhsen 'Omer (24) from al-Shati' refugee camp who was hit with a bullet to the chest. The IOA stationed at the Beit Hanoun "Erez" Crossing in the northern Gaza Strip fired live bullets and tear gas canisters to disperse hundreds of civilians who were protesting near the crossing, following a call from the National Committee of March for Return and Breaking the Siege to participate in the "Together for the Rights of Refugees and Breaking the Siege" activity. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) caused many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, after dozens of IOA invaded Shu'fat refugee camp, in occupied East Jerusalem, imposed fines on various stores and ticketed many cars, leading to protests. A large military force, accompanied by the police, invaded the refugee camp, and provocatively drove in its streets. The IOA then issued fines against many stores in the refugee camp, while the police ticketed many cars. Many youngsters protested the invasion and hurled stones at the invading soldiers, while the army fire many gas bombs, and rubber-coated steel bullets. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)
- One Palestinian suffered a moderate injury, after an Israeli military drone fired a missile at several young men, near the perimeter fence, east of Gaza city. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired a barrage of live rounds at dozens of Palestinians, who approached the perimeter fence, east of Deir al-Balah, wounding six. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)

#### Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained an Al-Aqsa Mosque guard as he was heading to his work at the compound in the Old City of occupied East Jerusalem. The guard was identified as Hamza al-Nabali, while walking towards the Hatta Gate to reach the mosque. Al-Nabali was taken to an Israeli police station in the Old City for interrogation. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) banned head of the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound's female guards, Zeinat Abu Sbeih, from entering the compound and handed her a summon notice to show up for interrogation at the Israeli police station in the Old City of Jerusalem on Thursday morning. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian man along with his wife and son, after raiding their home in the southern occupied West Bank city of Hebron. The IOA raided the home of Palestinian former prisoner, Jamal Karameh and detained him along with his wife, Hanaa Misk and their son Jamil Karameh. The IOA assaulted the rest of Karameh's family members during the raid. Prior to Karameh's detention, the IOA broke down the front door of his home and thoroughly searched it. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians, from the eastern borders of the besieged Gaza Strip after they allegedly crossed through the Israeli security border fence. The two detainees were taken in for further interrogation. (Maannews 20 September 2018)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes and detained Milad Fuad Masad and Moshir Monther Masad. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Odah Issa and Mohammad Omar Salah, from Bethlehem. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)
- Undercover Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) assaulted many detainees in their room, in Ofer prison, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The undercover officers of the "Israeli Prison Service" stormed room #9 of Section #15 in Ofer prison, and repeatedly assaulted many detainees. Ten detainees are held in the room, one of them identified a Mohammad Zaghloul, from the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and is serving a 20-year prison sentence, suffered numerous cuts and bruises to several parts of his body, including under his eyes. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)

### Israeli Settler Violence

• Heavily armed Israeli Police escorted large groups of Israeli settlers as they stormed the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound. Within half an hour, about 40 Israeli settlers stormed the Al-Aqsa Mosque through the Moroccan Gate, under the heavy protection of Israeli Police. Israeli police escorted the settlers into the compound as they were deployed across the mosque's premises, prior to the opening of the Moroccan Gate. Israeli settlers reportedly stormed the compound to perform religious Jewish prayers on the day of the Yom Kippur Jewish holiday, also known as Day of Atonement, one of the most sacred holidays in Judaism. (Maannews 20 September 2018)

## **Expansion of settlements**

On September 18, 2018, Israeli settler Aryeh King announced that the Israeli Civil Administration approved a plan to install 220 settlement units in Jabal al-Mukkaber, a Palestinian neighborhood on the outskirts of East Jerusalem. The plan is still subject to challenges and the approval of the Israeli Planning and Building Committee. The units would expand Nof Tzion settlement. On September 5, the Israeli District Planning and Building Committee in Jerusalem ruled to license the construction of 75 housing units for Israeli settlers in the Palestinian neighborhood of Beit Hanina. Last month, on August 14, 2018, Israeli authorities approved a tender for the construction of 603 settlement units in the Ramat Shlomo settlement in Beit Hanina. The Israeli municipality zones only 8 - 13% of East Jerusalem for Palestinian residential construction. Jerusalem's outskirts and most of the West Bank are slated as Area C and therefore ruled by the Israeli Civil Administration, a body under the orders of the Israeli Defense Ministry. Between 2010 and 2014, the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs found that the Israeli Civil Administration in approved just 1.5 percent of Palestinian building applications in Area C. Palestinian neighborhoods in and around Jerusalem are the target of Israeli settlement plans, which aim to link four concentric circles of settlements, starting with the Old City, followed by the "Holy Basin" (Silwan, Sheikh Jarrah, a-Tur, Mount Zion, and the Kidron Valley), Jerusalem's annexation border, and finally the West Bank. (IMEMC 20 September 2018)